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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF QUESTAR GAS COMPANY'S INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLAN (IRP) FOR PLAN YEAR: JUNE 1, 2016 TO MAY 31, 2017. Docket No. 16-057-08

PETITION TO INTERVENE OF THE STATE OF UTAH, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF ENERGY DEVELOPMENT

Pursuant to Utah Code Ann. § 63G-4-207 and Rule R746-100-7, Petitioner Governor's Office of Energy Development, (OED) hereby petitions for leave to intervene in the above-referenced proceeding before the Public Service Commission of Utah ("Commission").

In support of this petition, Petitioner states as follows:

- 1. On June 14th, 2016, Questar Gas Company ("Questar Gas") filed with the Commission a proposed Integrated Resource Plan.
- 2. Petitioner is an entity of the State of Utah created under Utah Code §63M-4-401, OED is statutorily charged with serve as the primary resource for advancing energy and mineral

development in the State. Utah Code § 63M-4-401.

3. As a State agency, OED has a direct interest in these proceeding and the outcome

may have a substantial effect on OED's legal rights and interest. This proceeding will have

direct economic implications throughout Utah, including natural gas production, availability for

electricity generation and other uses, and for customer rates.

4. OED has not yet determined what, if any positions it will take on any issues

raised, nor what relief it may seek to protect its interest.

5. OED's interests in the outcome of these proceedings will not be adequately

represented by any other party, nor will the interests of justice and the orderly and prompt

conduct of this proceeding be materially impaired if OED is allowed to intervene.

6. Notices in this proceeding should be sent to the following:

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7. This filing is timely.

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WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth above, OED requests that the Public Service Commission of Utah grant this timely Motion to Intervene and permit OED to participate in the proceeding with full rights as a party.

DATED this 22nd day of June, 2016.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing PETITION TO INTERVENE OF

THE STATE OF UTAH, GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF ENERGY DEVELOPMENT was served

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